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PERSONAL MENTION

Manager Neuman of the Jewel Theatre went to Portland last evening on business in connection with his enterprise here.

S. Danziger departed last evening for San Francisco, after a visit in this city of about one week.

John Brice is preparing to leave for his home and business in Portland on Tuesday next. There are many people in Astoria who are sincerely glad he is going no farther away than the metropolis.

Harry Campion the manager of the Port of Portland's interest in the towing business on the bar and river, was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

J. J. Flister of Portland was in the city yesterday on a business trip and was registered at the Occident.

G. N. Parker of Portland came down yesterday for a brief business trip.

J. O. Teeter of the metropolis was a business visitor in Astoria yesterday.

C. D. Herrick of Turlock, Cal., spent the day in this city yesterday.

Mrs. D. M. McLean of Newport arrived in the city yesterday and is at the Occident.

Mrs. and Miss Hansen of Westport arrived down yesterday on the noon train and spent the afternoon here.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Sunday Night

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Mon., March 1

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N. P. Sorenson came down from Portland yesterday to greet his friends and look up some business matters.

George P. Clark of Westport, (Westport, mind you), is in the city and a guest at the Occident.

Miss Jennie E. Fountain of Ilwaco is in the city.

Judge J. J. Brumbach of Ilwaco reached this city yesterday afternoon on a business trip.

D. K. Matthews of Bay Center, Wash., is in Astoria on business.

REALTY TRANSFERS

P. A. Anderson and wife to G. C. Hartley, lots 2 and 3, block 44, New Astoria; \$40.

John M. Carpenter and wife to Alexander McPherson, Martin J. McPherson and Edward G. McPherson to each one-third undivided interest in 160 acres in S. 26, T. 4 N., R. 6 W.; \$10.

Athletic Club Night—

Tonight the Grand theatre will be turned over to the Athletic Club. A very fine performance is assured, and the local talent will add much to the entertainment. The films are especially fine.

AMUSEMENTS

"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN" COMING.

Leon W. Washburn with Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company, begins an engagement at the Astoria Theatre on Monday, March 1st, when the patrons of that popular house will see this time-honored play in all its superior attractiveness. "Uncle Tom," the hero of this purposeful story, is portrayed by Stetson's original "Uncle Tom," probably the best known impersonator of this celebrated character in the world. The work of competent players is further enhanced by beautiful stage settings and new electrical devices. Col. Sawyer's celebrated pack of Siberian bloodhounds is one of the features with this company. New and novel specialties are introduced.

THE KERRY GOW.

An attraction of unusual merit which will appear at the Astoria Theatre next Sunday evening will be Arthur Cunningham in Joseph Murphy's famous Irish play The Kerry Gow. Mr. Cunningham's reputation as an actor and singer is too well known to dwell at length upon. It is needless therefore to say that on his first appearance in this play of Joseph Murphy's in San Francisco he won instant recognition from both press and public. An entire new scenic production has been made, and the supporting company has been selected with the utmost care. The play was rehearsed and produced under the personal direction of Mr. Murphy.

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REPORT OF COMMISSION ON NEEDS OF NAVY

ASKS SUBJECT BE REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE OF ARMY AND NAVY.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 25.—The President today transmitted to Congress a message submitting two preliminary reports of the commissions appointed to consider the needs of the navy. The commission recommends an advisory body for the secretary, declaring that what the secretary needs is a clear understanding of military conditions. The commission was unable to report on the subject of navy yards required by strategic consideration in war time and for maintenance of the fleet in constant readiness for war, owing to limited time available. It recommends that the subject be referred to a joint army and navy commission and accordingly the President has appointed such a commission.

SHE WANTS THE LIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—A special from San Jose states that Emma Schell, who with her husband has been exhibiting trained lions all over the world, has filed a suit for divorce in which she asks that she be given the custody of the lions now in possession of the pair. Since there are no children to be disposed of, in case of a legal separation, Mrs. Schell asserts that the big beasts that have taken the place in her life should be granted her.

FOR "POSTAL NOTES."

Provisions Of A New Postal Revision Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The issuance of "postal notes" is one of the interesting provisions in the Postal Revision bill being considered by a sub-committee of the House committee on Post-Offices and post roads. The measure was drafted by the joint commission on revision of postal laws. It provides for a director general of posts a complete rearrangement of the management of the Post-Office Department, the chief feature being the division of the country into districts over which is placed a superintendent.

The postal notes would extend the money order system to amounts as small as 25 cents, one cent to be charged for each note not in excess of \$2 and 2 cents for each note of greater nomination. No notes are to be issued for an amount greater than the minimum amount for which a money order is issued. The post-office committee will make every effort to have the bill passed at the present session.

A LEGAL POINT.

Supreme Court Decides A Question Of Joining Parties.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Supreme Court of the United States has decided a delicate point relative to the jurisdiction of the Federal and State courts in cases in which citizens of a state are joined in suits with corporations which are citizens only of the United States. The case was that of Mrs. Mary Dunn of Texas, whose husband was killed on the Texas & Pacific Railroad.

She brought suit against the company and two of its employees for damages, the railroad company owing its existence as a corporation to Congress and the employees being citizens of Texas. The case, originally instituted in a state court of Texas, was afterward removed to a federal court.

Mrs. Dunn then filed an original petition in the Supreme Court of the United States for a writ of mandamus compelling the restoration of the case to the state court, on the ground that only that court had jurisdiction because of the citizenship of the employed defendants. The court, however, held against this contention, holding that as the employees had been joined with the railroad company the federal court had jurisdiction over them as well as over the corporation. Justice Peckham, who handed down the opinion, said that the rights of the Texas & Pacific Company could not be taken away even though it was made an associate defendant with the citizens of Texas.

The very best board to be obtained in the city is at "The Occident Hotel." Rates very reasonable.

KID SCOUNDRELS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The saloon of Max Clemage was robbed early today by two boys, armed and masked who took the contents of the cash register, confiscated the money of three customers and in retiring snatched the corned from the mouth of another who had spent his last nickel. The police have no clue to the identity of the young desperadoes.

RAISED AFTER 132 YEARS.

British Sloop Of War Sunk In Lake Champlain.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—A British sloop of war which was sunk in Lake Champlain near the old stone pier on Fort Ticonderoga has been successfully raised, according to a telegram received here by Stephen H. P. Pell, whose wife, a daughter of Colonel Robert M. Thompson, owns the historic fortifications and is having it restored as nearly as possible to the condition in which it was when captured by Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain boys. The sloop which was sunk in 1777 is 90 feet in length and with the exception of the upper deck, is an excellent state of preservation, despite its 132 years immersion.

In the boat were two large cannon balls. The gun which was mounted on the sloop is believed to be at the bottom not far from where the vessel sank.

GIVE IT TO THEM.

Money Spent For Aeronautics Will All Come Back Some Day.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—In an appeal for an adequate appropriation of the aeronautic work of the signal corps sent to members of Congress in a communication from James Means of Boston, it is declared that if such an appropriation is not made it will be a serious mistake.

After stating that the only thing needed in this country for the rapid development of this military instrument is money, if Congress does not act at this session it is declared, we may be left behind by other nations.

TO PREVENT GAMBLING.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Representative Henry, of Texas, is striving to have the House committee on agriculture adopt his bill for the prohibition of gambling in futures. The measure would make it unlawful for any telephone, telegraph, or other company engaged in interstate commerce to receive and transmit any messages relating to margin contracts for the sale and purchase of agricultural products known as "futures."

The mails are also barred to the speculators by the bill. The bill prohibits the transmission as communications containing fictitious prices made upon exchanges for the sale of cotton, wheat, corn or other agricultural products.

MATTERS PUGILISTIC.

Kelly Knocks Out Thomas in the Fifth Round.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Hugo Kelly defeated Joe Thomas in five rounds tonight. The police stopped the bout in the fifth round when Thomas was helpless. The winner is expected to meet Ketchell, the middle weight champion.

Mowatt Knocks Out Knight.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 25.—Tommy Mowatt knocked out Phil Knight of Leavenworth in the third round of a ten-round bout tonight.

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Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties before you realize it. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

New York Letter

Struggling obstinately to stem the tide of traction progress, the magistrates of the subway are to-day doing their best to block the introduction of modern cars of the type that all the rest of the country has enjoyed for many years. Double doors are to-day giving the first relief to the outrageous subway crush on one experimental train, over the preparation of which the railway men have delayed for months. While the city experts and passengers of this long-looked-for train are expressing great satisfaction at the workings of the double door system, every official of the company is doing his best to clog its operation and attempt to show it a failure. The money it will cost to remodel their cars as they should have been made is the stake for which the traction men are playing, and their game is held and full of bluff. Whether Father Knickerbocker can call the turn on the powers that have trampled, squeezed, poked and delayed him in their congested tube since its opening, remains to be seen. New Yorkers have always put up with traction methods that other cities had done away with long since.

To provide a sort of humane insurance against such great sea tragedies as that which stranded hundreds of the "Republic's" crew in this port, New Yorkers are leading a national movement to provide emergency aid for the thousands of seafarers who may at any moment be wrecked and reach American coasts in sore need of food and clothes. It has been estimated by the American Seamen's Friend Society to-day that over half a million sailors arrive at the doors of their new Seamen's Institute in this city each year. With many millions of men subject to a colossal wreck, like that of the "Republic," it is believed that preparations should be made by the people of this country to succor the refugees of the sea. For this purpose a fund is being raised by the veteran organizations of workers for the sailor. For eighty years New Yorkers have watched their work for the body as well as the soul of Jack-shore on the water front, and there is always sure to be a following where they lead.

The Secret of Long Life

A French scientist has discovered one secret of long life. His method deals with the blood. But long ago millions of Americans had proved Electric Bitters prolongs life and makes it worth living. It purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, rebuilds wasted nerve cells, imparts life and tone to the entire system. Its a god-send to weak, sick and debilitated people. "Kidney trouble had blighted my life for months," writes W. M. Sherman, of Cushing, Me., "but Electric Bitters cured me entirely." Only 50 cents at Charles Rogers & Son's drug Store.

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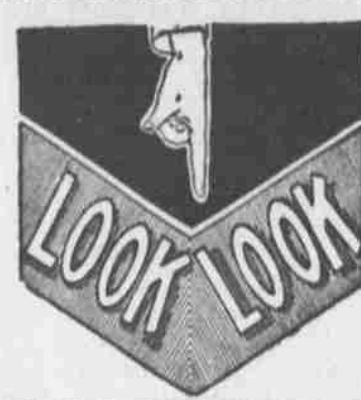
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